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ROOSEVELT GAINING

Defeats Taft in Pennsylvania and Illinois by Big Majorities.

Wilson Wins in Pennsylvania and Clark in Illinois.

Incomplete returns of the election held in Pennsylvania Saturday indicate that Roosevelt will get 65 of the state's 76 delegates in the Republican National Convention. The victory was a great one for Roosevelt and has put much confidence and enthusiasm into the ex-president and his followers.

Woodrow Wilson had an easy time in defeating the other Democratic candidates, getting 74 of the state's 76 votes to the Baltimore convention.

ILLINOIS PRIMARY.

In Illinois at the first presidential primary the Republicans repudiated the Taft administration, Roosevelt getting two and one-half times as many votes as Taft.

Champ Clark had an easy time defeating Woodrow Wilson for the Democratic nomination.

Phone S. E. Kelly & Co. for Fresh and Cured Meats. 12tf

Notice.

The State authorities have furnished me with a copy of the recent Act of the Legislature granting pensions to Confederate Soldiers and widows of Confederate Soldiers, and I shall be glad to advise any one interested regarding the provisions of this Act, free of cost.

Earl W. Senff,
County Attorney.

Buys Splendid Jack.

Dr. A. T. Knox, of Bowen, Ky., has bought the splendid jack, "Mike," from Mr. J. L. Faulkner, of this county, and will make the season 1912 with him at Bowen. The farmers of Powell county will do well to breed their mares to this excellent animal.

On Federal Jury.

Messrs. John W. Jones, Geo. R. Snyder, R. L. Tipton and Overton Jones, of this county, have been summoned as jurors of Federal Court, which will convene at Richmond April 22.

Best pork, beef and lamb at Vanarsdell's.

ORDERED REMOVED

Court House Wall Ordered Torn Down and Lawn Terraced.

Will Add Much to the Attractiveness of Our City.

The grand jury in its final report to Judge Young stated that it deemed the usefulness of the old stone wall around the Court House had long since passed and recommended that it be torn away and the lawn terraced down to the street level and the old wall be crushed and the rock used on the county turn pikes. Judge Young immediately issued orders to comply with the recommendations of the grand jury. Awnings for the jury room, painting and refinishing the wood work on both the inside and outside of the Court House and re-plastering the jail where needed were also recommended and so ordered by Judge Young.

The grand jury is indeed to be congratulated in its recommendations and likewise Judge Young in ordering same to be done. The improvements are badly needed, especially the tearing down of the old wall, which has long been an eye sore to visitors to our city and citizens as well, and it is sincerely hoped that the Fiscal Court will comply with the order immediately.

Mr. Killpatrick's Sister Dies.

Last Thursday at a hospital in Cincinnati, Mrs. Sallie L. Bolinger, sister of Mr. W. L. Killpatrick, of this city, died while undergoing a serious surgical operation. The remains were taken to Lewisburg, where the burial was held. Deceased had often visited her brother here, where she was well known and loved.

Mr. Killpatrick has the sympathy of a host of friends in the loss of his sister.

Plate Glass Broken.

Sunday evening while sitting on a stool in front of Ringo's cafe, Mr. Rigs Sullivan's feet slipped from under him while leaning back and he fell against the large plate glass, breaking it all to smithereens. The affair was quite a regrettable one and will probably cost Mr. Sullivan from \$30 to \$40.

Spring styles in Extra Good Suits for boys. Punch & Graves.

SPLENDID HORSE SHOW

Held at Fair Grounds in This City Monday Afternoon.

The Show Was Marred By Heavy Downpour of Rain.

The regular April horse show was held in this county Monday afternoon at the Fair grounds and quite a large number of people were present to view the excellent stock shown.

Star Emerald, belonging to Mr. C. B. Dale, was one of the best liked horses present and is a worthy son of his great sire, Emerald Chief.

Mr. Alvin Myers had Black McDonald and this black son of the famous McDonald Chief received a good deal of attention from the crowd. He also had McDonald's Choice, a nice young horse.

Mr. J. L. Faulkner's King Emerald was also closely inspected by a good crowd, and was well liked.

Mr. W. W. Eubank's Vermont Morgan was the center of a crowd of farmers interested in the general purpose horse.

Mr. R. B. Young had Red Bourbon present and the fine young stallion was highly complimented.

Mr. A. R. Turley had his nice young horse, Estill Chief, present and he bids fair to be a great horse.

Mr. Ray Moss had his well liked young horse, Emerald Ray, present and he was always the center of an admiring crowd.

Peter Montgomery, owned by the Maple Hill Stock Farm, Bean Bros., proprietors, by the famous Peter the Great, out of The Widow, was one of the most admired horses on the ground.

Woodford Stock Farm was represented by Sterling Chief and the young stallion, Half Star.

Silent Brook, owned by Mr. E. R. Little, was one of the horses present whose reputation is world wide.

Tom Tucker, a Percheron Stallion owned by Mr. J. W. Cecil, was surrounded by those interested in heavy work horses.

Other horses present were Prince of India, Pana, and several others, but owing to the rain the writer was unable to get their names.

Among those present from other counties, whose names the writer had gotten before the rain, were:

Mr. W. A. Bacon, of Paris, with Locanda 2:02 and Peter Billiken (3) 2:16t.

Mr. Houston Crouch, of Little Rock, with Black Henry, a Percheron.

Mr. J. L. Gregory, of North Middletown, with Argentine 2nd, a Percheron.

Young Bros., of North Middletown, with Richelieu King. This young horse, by Bourbon King, was, as a splendid judge of saddle horses said to us, "one of the best looking and doing horses on the grounds."

Mr. Reynolds Letton, of Paris, with Emeraldine.

Mr. J. Waller Rice, of North Middletown, with his splendid young horse, Royalty King.

We wish to call our readers' special attention to the stock advertised on other pages of this paper.

Spring styles in Stetson and Youman Hats.

Punch & Graves.

COUNTY COURT-DAY

Large Crowd in Town and Much Business Transacted.

Cattle Market High and Brisk. 1200 Head On Market.

About 1200 cattle on the market. The quality, with a few exceptions, was medium. Trade brisk and prices were sky high. The best 1000-lb. steers sold at from \$6 to \$6.25. Most any sort brought 5c. Yearlings at \$5.50 to \$6.00; heifers at 4½ to 5c.; cows at \$3.50 to \$4.50; bulls at \$4 to \$4.50. Good sized crowd at the pens and stock sold rapidly at high prices. A good many were sold by the head and when they did the purchaser got the hot end every time. We caught a few of the sales and they will give our readers some idea of the market.

SALES.

Mike Wilson sold yoke of 1200-lb. steers to D. C. Cleveland, of Cynthiana, at \$5.25.

Same party sold Chas. Duff some 1125-lb. steers at \$6.25.

G. B. Allen & Son sold 21, about 500-lb., heifers to John McGuire at \$30 per head.

Sam Laythram bought some 650-lb. heifers of Mike Wilson at 5 cents.

Stafford Bros. sold 4 1100-lb. oxen to D. C. Cleveland, of Cynthiana, at \$5.25. Mr. Cleveland bought about 20 head of 1059-lb. oxen at \$5 to \$5.25.

Henry Lemastre sold 14 700-lb. steers to Garrett & Woodard, of Bourbon county at \$4.85.

Stafford Bros. sold a bunch of 750-lb. steers to J. H. Smith, of Fleming county, at 5 cents.

J. F. Nichols sold 15, about 450-lb., heifers to Coon Allen at \$23.50 per head.

Chas. Rose sold 16 700-lb. steers to G. T. Fox at \$6.00 and a premium.

Mrs. Burgin, of Georgetown, bought 28, about 600-lb., heifers of W. L. Byrd at \$30 per head.

Sam Keeton sold 21, about 600-lb., steers to Daniel Palmer, of Bath county, at \$35 per head.

Chas. Rose sold 11, about 400-lb., calves to W. L. Byrd, of Clark county, at \$25 per head.

Same party sold 24, about 600-lb. heifers at \$31 per head.

Geo. Halsey sold some 800-lb. bulls to Joe H. Downing, of Fayette county, at 4½ cents.

J. F. Nichols sold 16, about 500-lb. steers to W. J. Bryant at \$32 per head.

MULES.

A good many mules in town, but sales were not brisk on account of high prices asked.

Greenwade & Co. sold 7 16-hand mules to Harlan Hardwood Co., of Hamilton, O., at \$240 per head. To party at Hazard, Ky., pair of mare mules at \$515.

Mr. Harvey Rogers, of Clark county, pair of 16-hand mare mules, 3 years old, at \$525.

Court Adjourned.

Circuit Court adjourned here Saturday after being in session since last Monday week. The docket was a very light one and few cases of importance were up.

The only case of much interest was the one against Mike Gibbons, charged with killing the Allen brothers, and, as was expected, the jury promptly returned a verdict of "not guilty."

When you begin to get a dollar and ten cents' worth for a dollar, it's time to count the change.

HORRIBLE DISASTER

Large Steamer Sinks and Nearly 1,400 Lives Believed Lost.

Some of the World's Most Prominent Men on Board.

Latest dispatches are to the effect that the world's greatest steamship, the Titanic, which struck an iceberg in mid-ocean Sunday, has sunk and only 886 of the 2,200 persons on board are reported saved. The ship was the greatest in the world and was valued at \$10,000,000.

Men of world-wide prominence were on board, including John Jacob Astor, Alfred G. Vanderbilt, Major Archie Butt, Benjamin Guggenheim and others of equal prominence, whose fate is unknown.

The affair is the most horrible ever known and only meager accounts have been learned at the time of going to press. First reports had it that all the passengers had been saved, but the latest reports are as above stated.

Large Nominator.

Mr. James R. Magowan, of this city, is one of the leading nominators to the Kentucky Futurity for foals of 1912, having entered 21 foals in this great stake. The 29 foals entered, the get of his famous young trotter, J. Malcolm Forbes, Kentucky is first in the quota of entries, furnishing 453, and New York second with 157. The produce of 1250 mares are entered.

Notice.

While Locust street is being bricked entrance may be had to my shop from Bank street.

41-2t H. W. Senier.

No matter what style or material, you will find the best models in the RED CROSS. 41tf J. H. Brunner, the Shoe Man.

Entertains at Cards.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson, the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guno Johnson, entertained a number of her friends at cards Saturday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Day Bailey, of Shelbyville, at her beautiful country home.

Eggs for Sale.

White Wyandotte and Barred Plymouth Rock eggs at \$1.50 per setting. Phone 615-4.

38-4t Mrs. M. A. Prewitt, Mt. Sterling, Ky., R. R. No. 1.

Mr. Samuel Vansant Dead.

Mr. Samuel Vansant, died at his home in Terre Haute, Ind., last Friday and was buried at Flemingsburg, Ky., Monday. Deceased is survived by his wife, two sons and one daughter, and two brothers, one of whom is Dr. J. A. Vansant, of this city.

RALSTON'S Oxfords for men are right in style, quality and fit. J. H. Brunner, The Shoe Man

Buy's Fine Stallion.

Mr. J. L. Faulkner, of Levee, this county, has just purchased from Mr. E. H. Fuller, of Stanton, his splendid stallion, King Emerald. This stallion, by the famous Emerald Chief, will make the season at his farm this year. See ad. in this paper.

When you begin to get a dollar and ten cents' worth for a dollar, it's time to count the change.

41-2t

Asa Bean.

MRS. MARY BAUMSTARK

Dies at the Residence of Her Daughter, Mrs. C. K. Oldham.

Deceased Was Eighty-two Years of Age.

Mrs. Mary Baumstark died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. C. K. Oldham, in this city Tuesday morning, April 16th, of the infirmities incident to old age.

Mrs. Baumstark had made her home with her daughter for several years past and was a woman of lovely Christian character. She had been a member of the Methodist Church for many years. The body was shipped to Waco, Madison county, where the funeral services will be held today. She is survived by five daughters: Misses Winn Grinstead, of London, Ky.; Edward Bybee and Thomas Oldham, of Richmond; Annie Singleton, of Millersburg, and C. K. Oldham, of this city, and two sons: Messrs. John Baumstark, of Richmond, and William Baumstark, of Georgetown, who have the sympathy of a legion of friends in the loss of their mother.

RALSTON Shoes are a bit more stylish than ordinary \$4 and \$5 shoes and they hold their shape.

J. H. Brunner, The Shoe Man.

41-2t

Accepts Position.

Mr. A. C. Tipton has accepted a position with Mr. Thos. Kennedy as head prescription clerk and will enter upon his new duties May 1. He will succeed Mr. Gilbert Satterwhite, who had long held this position in a capable and satisfactory manner.

Mr. Tipton is no novice in the drug business, having conducted one of the leading drug stores in this city a number of years ago. He is a gentleman of wide acquaintance, is popular with everyone and is sure to add much to the popularity of this store.

Mr. Satterwhite has not determined what business he will engage in, but being a young man of excellent business qualities and attentive to business he is sure to make a success in whatever he may engage in.

Little Bald Head

By

A. MARIA CRAWFORD

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"When a man loves a woman as well as I love you, and when you admit that you love me but refuse to marry me, I believe that I am justified in wanting to know exactly why."

They were having late supper at a table in an alcove in a large restaurant. The gold tassel at the side of her little theater cap swayed slightly as she leaned her head over, staring at the white cloth with its mound of yellow roses.

"Look at me, Helen! It's high time that we threshed this thing out," continued John Haldon quietly.

Helen Rayner's face flushed painfully. "I—I wish you wouldn't discuss such personal things—here."

"Nobody is listening to us. Dean Sherwood is grinning his usual 'She'll never have you, my boy,' and I am not willing to submit to expressive public speculation any more. You'll either have to take me now or chuck me over for good. I won't hang fire another day."

"Merey, John! You astonish me. You are so dramatic. Be pleasant and let's enjoy this excellent supper."

"Helen, I have put a plain question to you. I can't force you to answer, but I ask you to for the last time. You can't play with me and my love for you another day."

Her eyes met his for a fleeting second and she saw a stern look on his face that forbade further bantering.

"What is it you want to know, John?"

"Do you still admit that you love me?"

"Yes. You must know that I do."

"Then why aren't you willing to marry me? I can offer you all that your father is able to give you."

"I am not ready to settle down. I want to have a good time. When a girl is not yet twenty-two she doesn't want to give up all her fun."

"Granted, but why give it up? Is it because you want other men around?"

"No. As it is, I go practically everywhere with you now."

"Helen, it's because of Tom Grayner. You want to remain single until after he comes home with your brother in the spring. He has more money than I have. Are you mercenary, after all?"

"If I didn't love you, John Haldon, I would never speak to you again. I'll tell you why I haven't wanted to marry you. You have so many theories, I—I have been afraid I would fail as your wife. Now, that's the truth."

"What do you mean, Helen?"

"You believe in what you call brotherhood and try to help people who are less fortunate than you are. You believe in really doing service for your friends. For instance, when Jim Thornton's trouble came and I remonstrated with you for giving up your time as well as your money to help him, you said, 'Anybody's money can accomplish as much as mine, but nobody can do for that boy as I can, for he loves me and has faith in me. With a little encouragement and help from me, he will soon get on his feet again. He will do whatever I expect of him.'

"He is so helpless," she said softly, and felt what every woman feels at some time in her life, motherhood stirring in her heart.

An obsequious waiter announced that it was one o'clock and the restaurant was closing. Helen gave the baby into the mother's ready arms and answered her effusive thanks with a simple, "It was a pleasure to me. I am the one to thank you."

John Haldon helped her into the long fur coat.

"Is it goodby forever tonight?" he asked.

"No," she said, her mouth quivering with the joy of her sudden decision, "I can't give you up for any reason or the shadow of a reason."

or in ability, I know you better than you know yourself."

"At any rate, your faith in me is stimulating."

"I love you, Helen. Are you going to put me out of your life tonight for a mere shadowy fear that will prove to have no substance?"

She sat there, toying with a jeweled chain about her throat and looking curiously at some new arrivals.

"Why, John," she said, forgetting his tender love speech and all-important question, "those people must be stopping between trains. I never saw a baby out at this time of the night."

"Possibly not," he answered indifferently.

"Poor little woman! She can't eat with that baby jumping about so. I believe that I will offer to hold it. It will be a good opportunity to try working out your pet theory that a woman is never so happy as when she is serving men or children."

He smiled as she rose and with her characteristic grace and charm asked if she might hold the baby for a little time.

Her tall slender figure in its shimmering white gown, her head bent a little over the laughing baby reaching his dimpled hands for the elusive gold tassel over the girl's ear made a charming picture to the man who waited for them.

"Watch out, Helen, he'll tear that gold lace on your gown!" he warned, but Helen only laughed at him over the little bald head.

"Isn't he dear? Isn't he little and soft and clinging? Am I holding him right so that I won't hurt his back or the soft spot in his head? I remember being warned against injuring those parts of a baby's anatomy."

"Trust a woman to feel those things without any teaching! It's instinctive. You don't have to be

"Do You Still Admit That You Love Me?"

taught any more than a mother bird has to be shown how to huddle her sleeping young under her feathery breast."

The baby had worn himself out and now slept in the soft curve of Helen's arm. She drew the little relaxed body close to her.

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CAUSE OF UNHAPPINESS.

"Every form of unhappiness springs from a wrong condition of mind. Happiness inheres in right conditions of mind. Happiness is mental harmony; unhappiness is mental inharmony. While a man lives in wrong conditions of mind, he will live a wrong life, and will suffer continually."—James Allen.

TO BE FORGIVEN.

"Isn't our friend Mr. Orestes Fleswetter inclined to greatly magnify the importance of little things?"

"Yes," replied Miss Cayenne; "but such a course is absolutely essential to his own self-esteem."

STAR, EMERALD 3372



Best son of Emerald Chief 2132, is a nice seal brown, star and stripe in face white hind feet, six years old, 15.3 hands high and weighs 1350 pounds. Sired by Emerald Chief 2132, by Bourbon Chief 976, by Harrison Chief 1606, by Clark Chief 89, Dam Star Lady 5029, by King William 2nd 533, by King William 67, by Washington Denmark 64.

STAR EMERALD will make the season of 1912 at Lone Pine Stock Farm, six miles north of Mt. Sterling, on Mayaville pike, at

\$25.00 to Insure a Living Foal

Lien retained on colt until season fee is paid

C. B. DALE

R. F. D. No. 3 38-81 Mt. Sterling, Kentucky

MAINLEAF (3) 2:08 1-4

Champion Trotting Stallion of 1911 (with Atlantic Express)

Winner of The Western Horseman Futurity; two heats and second money in Kentucky Futurity; heat winner and second money in Horse Review Futurity; was second to Justice Brooke in the two-year-old division of the Kentucky Futurity in 2009 1/2; in Lexington Stake, as a two-year-old, was timed separately in 2:11 1/4 and 2:11 1/2. He was a starter in eight futurities, a money winner in all; a contender in every race and every heat in which he started. Trotted 21 heats as a three-year-old in races that averaged 2:10. Winner of \$1,343. Peter Arnold and (3) 311.

By MAINSHEET 2:05, first dam Ashleaf Wilkes (dam of Mainleaf) (3) 2:08 1/4. The Saxon (2) 2:26 1/2 and Dolobran (3) 2:26 1/2, by Ashland Wilkes 2:17 1/4; second dam Egotist Mare, sister to Lucinda Princeton (dam of Walter Kein) (4) 2:11 1/4 and Flexo 2:14 1/4; by Egotist 2:22 1/2; third dam Calinda (dam of one), by Dictator 113; fourth dam by Katrina by King René 1:27 1/2; fifth dam Kathleen (a great brood mare by Pilot Jr. 12).

Will make the season of 1912 at grounds of Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' Association, Lexington, Kentucky, in charge of Wick Curry.

Fee \$50 to Insure a Living Colt

Will breed some good mares on shares.

J. R. Magowan or Wick Curry

Mt. Sterling, Ky.

THE FIVE-GAITED SADDLE STALLION RED BOURBON 3604

One of the best sons of the noted Bourbon Chief 976, will make the season of 1912 at barn of R. B. Young, 2 miles north of Mt. Sterling, Ky., on the Mayaville pike, at the low fee of \$250 to insure a live colt.

RED BOURBON is a beautiful rich chestnut with a star and snip in face, and hind legs white half way to hocks. Is 15.3 hands high and resembles his famous sire very much in conformation. In breeding he can hardly be excelled, as he was sired by Bourbon Chief 976, by Harrison Chief 1606, by Clark Chief 89, dam—Mrs. Chanier 564, by Red Cloud 2107, by Indian Chief 1718, second dam Mayette by Marie (145), third dam by Dillard (150), etc.

Also at the same time and place we will stand the good mare Jack, DR. ROBINSON 3275, sired by Montgomery King 2100, first dam Black Mare by Dr. Hartman, Jr., 72 (sire of the World Fair champion Dr. Hartman), second dam Corda by Gatewood's Boss, third dam Black Bessie by Big John, at the low fee of

R. B. YOUNG-WALNUT GROVE STOCK FARM

Lost Mare.

Strayed or stolen from my place at Clay City, Powell county, a light bay mare with white left hind foot and white right front foot, six years old, weighing about 900 pounds, thin in order. Will pay a liberal reward for any information leading to her recovery.

40-2t E. M. CAMPBELL.

Dahlia for Sale.

I have a few extra fine Dahlia and Orchid Blooming Canas for sale.

L. T. Chiles.

Eggs for Hatching.

Pure Rhode Island Reds, \$1.00 for setting of 15. 40-2t pd

Mrs. C. D. Highland, R. F. D. No. 3, Mt. Sterling, Ky. Phone 349-A.

For Sale Quick.

A five-bent tobacco barn that has been blown down. Lumber is in good shape.

40-2t John P. Richardson.

Courteous treatment, prompt delivery and your trade appreciated. S. E. Kelly & Co. 12tf

That he is one of the most beautiful and finest saddle stallions living, is beyond dispute. His first colt, halter broke, money winner last year, over good ones. "The ladder of fame" lies in his path. He is equal to the task. A horse of merit at reasonable fee of

\$15.00

Scottish Chief 3028, son of Bourbon Chief, dam by McDonald Chief. Bay, foaled 1909. **\$15.00 Live Colt.**

The Noted Mule Jack

Bramblett

\$8.00 Live Colt

A Jack whose credit is established. No guess work about him.

Business Solicited.

Ray Moss

Phone 6594 38-4t

White Nubuck Pump in RED CROSS. Very latest at BRUNNER'S, The Shoeman.

For Sale Cheap—Splendid make Soda Fountain, in good repair.

39-3t H. M. Ringo.

VOICE THAT SOUNDED SWEET

Evidently Pat Was in the Mood to Answer "Yes" to the Question of His General.

General Carter, who went to Texas in command of the regulars sent south for the maneuvers along the Mexican border, tells this story of an old Irish soldier: The march had been a long and tiresome one, and as the bivouac was being made for the night the captain noticed that Pat was looking very much fatigued. Thinking that a small drop of whisky might do him good, the captain called Pat aside and said: "Pat, will you have a wee sip of whisky?" Pat made no answer, but folded his arms in a reverential manner and gazed upward. The captain repeated the question several times, but no answer from Pat, who stood silent and motionless, gazing devoutly into the sky. Finally the captain, taking him by the shoulder and giving him a vigorous shake, said: "Pat, why don't you answer? I said, 'Pat, will you have a drink of whisky?'" After looking around in considerable astonishment Pat replied: "And is it you, captain? Begorrah, I thought it was an angel speakin' to me."—Cosmopolitan Magazine.

MOURNED "GOOD OLD DAYS"

Old-Timer's Longing for the Times When Everything "Went" In Politics.

"Politics is getting too finicky," declared the old-timer. "Things were different in my day."

He was encouraged to proceed.

"One time when I was in politics in a certain city we wanted to make a certain man health officer."

"Yes."

"But he wasn't a doctor, and some meddler dug up a law which made it necessary for the health officer to be a doctor."

"What did you do?"

"Why, we had the legislature pass an act making our man a doctor. It was simple enough."—Pittsburgh Post.

PUTTING HIS FOOT IN IT.

A local preacher who was in the habit of taking his wife with him to his preaching appointments said, on arrival at the chapel, "My dear, you go in there; you will be all right. I must go round to the vestry."

In the vestibule the wife was met by a kind-hearted steward, who, after giving her a hearty welcome and a hymn book, conducted her to a comfortable seat.

At the close of the service the same kind-hearted steward gave her a hearty shake of the hand, adding how pleased he would be to see her at the services each Sunday. Then, whispering, he said: "But, let me tell you, we don't get a duffer like this in the pulpit every Sunday."

OLD CUSTOM REVIVED.

As in the old days, when people went out to tea, it is again quite the smartest thing to take a dainty little bit of needlework in a fascinating handbag. This fashion has been set by Queen Mary, who has always been near her a piece of knitting or other stitching. Since she was a girl her majesty has always been the best and most industrious worker in the royal family. It is a matter of comment outside the royal circle that the dainty bit of needlework which some smart women take to their friends' houses never shows any advance, though they adhere religiously to her majesty's example.

IN CRIMINAL PRACTICE.

Dr. Wiley and the Secretary.

Senator La Follette conducts a weekly magazine which, like the Senator himself, is unceasing in its public service. It now takes up the relation of Dr. Wiley to those who, upon his retirement, remain triumphant in the Department of Agriculture. Public health, "La Follett's" says, is the foundation of national efficiency and greatness, and Wiley has spent a quarter of a century in the promotion of public health. It took twenty-five of his twenty-nine years of service to reach a point where the general interest had become strong enough to drive the courts into action, and the Pure Food and Drugs Act is more a monument to him than to any other one person. The adulterators and poisoners, beaten in Congress, found ardent aids in the Department of Agriculture. This situation, together with President Taft's "gag rule," which puts the hand of silence over the mouth of every bureau chief, left Wiley helpless. He could neither enforce the pure food law nor lift his voice in protest to the country. Had public opinion not been so much aroused, the false evidence which McCabe manufactured against Wiley, even at the risk of changing a document, would have been successful,

backed as it was by Wickersham's recommendation that Wiley be punished. "La Follett's Magazine" is perfectly correct when it says: "The press and the public demanded the removal of Wilson and McCabe and the other plotters. A year has passed since then, but these officials ARE STILL AT THEIR POSTS, hampering the enforcement of the food and drugs act and undermining the efficiency of the Department." That demand, in fact, was almost universal. Perhaps there is somebody who has a definite knowledge of why President Taft was willing to let Wiley go and to keep Secretary Wilson and Mr. McCabe. Our own opinion, which is merely a guess, is that it was less a positive wish of the President's than a feeble yielding to the influences about him. Secretary Wilson is an old man, and he wants to stay in office, and so no matter how much harm he does the President let him stay there. What part Mr. Wickersham takes in this decision can only be surmised from his recommendation that Dr. Wiley be visited with "condign punishment."

With Wiley away

The microbes will play.

The New York "Evening Post" argues this current poetry unfairly,

Photographs

Nothing finer or nothing that will be more appreciated than a picture of

Your Little One

We make any size and kind and our prices are reasonable

Chandler

The Photographer

Bryan Studio Stand

on the ground that as the President found a good successor to Ballinger he may do as well in the Bureau of Chemistry. The cases are somewhat different. Ballinger was forced out, against the President's will, by public opinion. Wiley was forced out by intrigue, against the public's wish. What good can anybody do in Wiley's place, with McCabe, Dunlap, and Wilson in control? How that system works is still further elucidated this week by Mr. Adams in "The Law, the Label, and the Liars;" and he and others will have more to say about it, from time to time, during the pleasant year of 1912. If the people are still to be cheated for the benefit of a small number, the time has at least passed when that process can be carried on without publicity.—Collier's Weekly.

FINE FARM AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

On Saturday afternoon, April 20th, at 2 o'clock, in front of the Court House door, at Mt. Sterling, Ky., I will sell to the highest bidder, my farm, located on the Spencer pike, 2½ miles from town, containing 109 and a fraction acres of good land, of which most is in old sod and young grass.

There is a good, new frame cottage on this farm, a meat house, poultry house, corn crib, and a splendid, large tobacco stock barn. A nice, young orchard, part of an old orchard, also plenty of grapes. It is well watered, has good, large cistern and several never failing springs, also pool. Railroad station at front gate, and school house in sight.

If you are thinking of buying a farm, be sure to look this one over and bid on it, for it is going to be sold at your price.

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Call Lloyd's stable, 'phone 281, for carriage to and from depot, 25 cents each way, also baggage. Prompt and first class service. 36-6

THE BURIAL OF DOC WILEY.

(By Richard Henry Little.)

Who killed Doc Wiley?

"I," said Soda Ilenzote,
"He fought me and met his fate,
I killed Doc Wiley."

Who saw him die?

"I," said Salicylic Acid,
"I've always yearned to see him placid,
And I saw him die."

Who caught his blood?

"I," said old Formaldehyde,
"He thought he had me safely tied,
So I caught his blood."

Who made his shroud?

"I," said Fluoride Calcium,
"He tried to put me on the bunt,
So I made his shroud."

Who will be the parson?

"I," said little Saccharine,
"He treated me almighty mean,
So I'll be the parson."

Who will dig his grave?

"I," said old Borax,
"He tried to grab me by the thorax
So I'll dig the grave."

Who will be the clerk?

"I," said little Coal Tar Dye,
"Here's a funeral where I don't cry,
So I'll be the clerk."

Who'll carry him to the grave?

"I," said Choke'm Soothing Syrup,
"I used to cause the doc to rear up,
I'll carry him to the grave."

Who will be the chief mourner?

"I," said Creosote,
"He often tried to get my goat.
I'll be chief mourner."

Who will sing a psalm?

"I," said Peroxide of Hydrogen,
"And listen when I yell 'amen.'
I'll sing the psalm."

Who will bear the pall?

"I," said Killem's Catarrh Cure,
"At bearing palls I'm certain sure.
I'll bear the pall."

Who will toll the bell?

"I," said Tombstone Headache Powder,
"None than me can ring it louder,
I'll toll the bell."

All the sulphides and acids

Fell to laughing so slyly,
When they heard the bell toll,
For poor Doctor Wiley.

—Chicago Tribune.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years local remedies, in local and provincial medical remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Killem's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They give a hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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AN UNPRECEDENTED CATTLE MARKET.

Loftier cattle markets have been recorded sometimes during previous scarcity periods, but never before has such an animated market been possible at this season. Chicago received 23,000 cattle on Monday, but that supply was quickly absorbed at a 10 to 15-cent advance. This is in striking contrast to the historical condition of the market at the latter part of the Lenten period, when beef consumption is usually at low ebb.

Quality of supply is eloquent of actual scarcity and suggestive of a meagerly supplied market at a time when winter-made beef has usually been abundant.

If it was not for the 55,000 to 60,000 cattle reaching Chicago weekly at the present a beef famine would exist. This is the secret of a buoyant market. There is little beef in the West, and the East must come to Chicago or go without.

The grazing season promises to be three weeks behind schedule time, if not more, and with corn belt feedlots depleted, the supply of fat cattle short from Kansas and Nebraska, and even the distillery crop showing up prematurely, the price prospect for the next four months convinces even the skeptics. Cattle will probably sell no lower, nor will there be a glut.

Cheapest accident insurance—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Stops the pain and heals the wound. All druggists sell it. 1m

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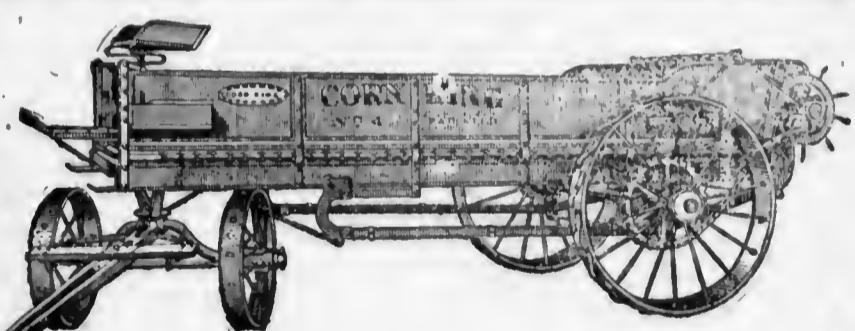
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ANNOUNCEMENT

We wish to say to the citizens of Mt. Sterling and surrounding country that for the past several months we have been remodeling and building new our greenhouses situated at the corner of Clay street and Corbett avenue. They are now completed and we have them fully stocked up with high-grade plants, both flower and vegetable. A finer and more select line of plants has never been offered to the public here before. We never were so well prepared to handle your orders. We have secured the services of a live, wide-awake, progressive, up-to-date Florist and Designer. We have Pot and Bedding Plants and Flowers for all occasions. Funeral Designs, \$1.50 up. Our Carnations are beauties, 50 cents per dozen and up. Greenhouse open at all times for inspection. Visitors always welcome. Come one, come all.

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LOOKS LIKE BUSINESS.

The Bell county Fiscal Court at a recent session in Pineville adopted the following resolutions:

"Be it resolved by the Fiscal Court of Bell county, That we are heartily in favor of the subinission, at the earliest possible moment, to the voters of Bell county, the question as to whether or not they are in favor of the issual of bonds of the county to the extent of 5 per cent. of the assessed valuation of the property of the county for the year 1912, for the purpose of building roads.

"We hereby appoint as an Advisory Committee for arranging for the calling of an election on said proposition as soon as possible and for the purpose of advising this court and lending assistance to the County Judge and other officers of the county in all metters pertaining to the holding of said election and, if same is in favor of building roads, to advise and assist this court in all matters pertaining to the building of said roads, letting of contracts, location of roads and other matters bearing thereon, the following gentlemen: T. J. Asher, William Low, W. L. Moss, George H. Reese, T. Cairnes, Robert Vanbevers, D. B. Logan, N. R. Patterson, E. N. Ingram, C. J. Johnson, J. S. Bingham, C. W. Metcalf, E. S. Helburn, J. G. Fitzpatrick, J. D. Temple, J. F. Bosworth, William Walbrecht, J. H. Bartlett, J. L. Manning, R. C. Ford, J. T. Evans, F. D. Hart, Jr., Henry Steele, R. L. Ralston, W. E. Cabell, B. F. Creech, J. A. Purifull, Joe Parsons, T. S. Gibson, Marion Maxwell."

This looks like business. It is rather unusual to see a county fiscal court take hold of the road proposition so fearlessly. Most of the fiscal courts and county officials are given to handling the question gingerly and timorously and, withal, ineffectively. Bell county wants better roads and is making a sensible and practical move in the direction of securing them. Inasmuch as good roads cannot be built without money the best thing to do is to raise the money and build them. Such a plan is infinitely better and more economical than by building on the piecemeal order or by wasting county funds in the alleged repair of dirt roads. Bell county is showing symptoms of being wide awake on the highway question and the action of her Fiscal Court in leading the way to substantial results is to be commended to other Fiscal Courts which are doubting and dallying.—*Courier-Journal*.

Now that Col. Roosevelt has swept Pennsylvania and Illinois, to a disinterested bystander it would seem that his hat is very much "in the ring."

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Famous Officer Dead.

Major Frederick D. Grant, son of the famous general of the Civil war, and himself commander of the department of the east, died at the Hotel Buckingham in New York City last week. His death was caused by heart failure and was very sudden.

Spring styles in E. & W. and Arrow Shirts. Punch & Graves.

Winchester Couple Wed.

Dr. W. T. Lyons, of Winchester, and Mrs. Louella Mansfield of Clark county, were quietly married in Winchester Thursday. Mrs. Mansfield is a sister of Mrs. J. W. William, of this city, and is quite popular here, where she has many friends.

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Kentucky's Line-up at Chicago Convention.

The following shows the manner in which the Taft steam roller was used by the Kentucky Republicans at Louisville last week: Delegates for Taft, 23. Delegates for Roosevelt, 3. Delegates to National Convention from State-at-large: W. O. Bradley, Jefferson county; William D. Cochran, Mason county; James Breathitt, Christian county; J. E. Woods, (colored), Boyle county.

Alternates—State-at-large: L. L. Brstow, Scott county; J. C. Speight, McCracken county; W. J. Seitz, Butler county; Stafford Campbell, Fayette county.

Electors—State-at-large: C. T. Proctor, Grayson county; William Marshall Bullitt, Jefferson county.

Assistant Electors—State-at-large: A. J. Oliver, Allen county; T. K. Robb, Franklin county.

The Roosevelt supporters, headed by Judge E. C. O'Rear, were given no consideration whatsoever and each time Judge O'Rear attempted to speak, he was ruled out of order by Chairman Bradley. The Roosevelt men will carry their fight to Chicago, where the Taft delegation will be contested and an endeavor made to throw out the entire State on account of alleged fraud.

Many a man has learned that it doesn't pay to buy cheap goods when the best can be had for just a trifle more, and yet forgets to apply this to himself. He learns better each time, but keeps on doing it.

For Sale Cheap—Splendid make Soda Fountain, in good repair. 39-3t H. M. Ringo.

Fire at Richmond.

One of the most disastrous fires at Richmond in years visited that city last week, destroying one of the largest lumber yards of the town and doing over \$50,000 damage. Those who suffered losses were Blanton & Congleton's lumber yard, loss \$30,000; L. & A. passenger and freight depot, full of freight, and nine box cars also filled with freight; Flat Rock Hotel, completely destroyed; Madison tobacco warehouse, damaged \$1,500; W. H. Douglas Coal Company's office, considerably damaged and several other buildings damaged.

Spring styles in Ladies' Shoes and Oxfords now in.

Punch & Graves.

Buys Fine Horse.

Mr. J. H. Gillaspie, owner of Bourbon Chief Stock farm, has just purchased from Mr. J. B. Lindsay, of Bath county, the fine saddle stallion, Forrest King. Forrest King is a splendidly bred horse and has already proven himself a good sire.

Notice.

While Locust street is being bricked entrance may be had to my shop from Bank street. 41-2t H. W. Senieur.

J. Y. Rogers

Let it be Turley.

The people of Montgomery county are considering the matter of urging former Democratic Committeeman Samuel Turley, a farmer of that county, to make the race on the Democratic ticket for Representative from this district to succeed the present incumbent, W. L. Craig, of this county. According to agreement it is Montgomery's time to furnish the candidate. We have personally inquired into the standing of Mr. Turley with our citizens and who is extensively known in this county, and find he will be strongly endorsed by them. In fact we feel that we will have as satisfactory representation as if he were our own county man. Let it be Turley.—Frenchburg Agitator.

Pictures Framed.

We are overstocked on picture moulding and in order to reduce the stock will make special prices on frames for the next thirty days.

Chandler Studio.

Spring styles in Stetson and Youman Hats.

Punch & Graves.

Chance for Ball Team.

It is reported that the management of the Winchester base ball team of the Blue Grass league has made a proposition to this city to play half their games here, providing Mt. Sterling will furnish suitable grounds. The Winchester management to get all gate receipts and pay all expenses and the Mt. Sterling management to get all grand stand and other receipts. The proposition seems a fair one and it is sincerely hoped by the fans in this city that someone will be induced to take hold of the proposition.

Bring us your country produce. We will treat you right. S. E. Kelly & Co. 12tf

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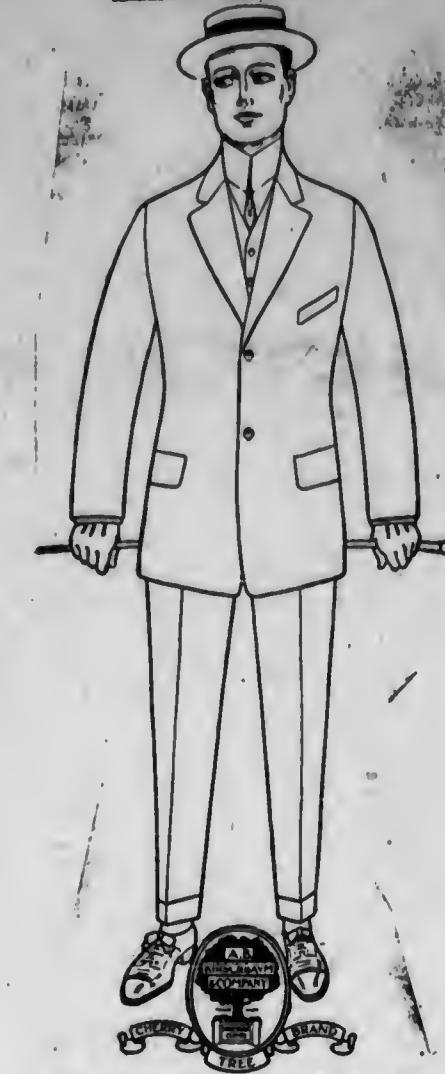
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PERSONAL.

Mrs. Wm. Guilfoile is visiting her son, James, in Cincinnati.

Mr. Jas. K. Shropshire was in Lexington last week on business.

Mr. R. L. Coleman left for Ashland Tuesday on a short business trip.

Mrs. H. B. Turner visited Mrs. Cecil Parks at Winchester last week.

Miss Louise Lloyd spent several days in Louisville shopping last week.

Miss Grace Coyle, of Winchester, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. Johnson Young, of Owingsville, was in the city the first of the week.

Mr. Younger Osborne, of Winchester, was in the city Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. M. A. Tyler, of Cincinnati, is visiting the family of Mr. W. T. Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Hadden, of Winchester, will visit Mrs. W. C. Moore this week.

Mrs. Nancy McCoy, of Winchester, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Punch.

Miss Juelda Conner, of Owingsville, was a pleasant visitor to our city last week.

Mrs. Fannie Goodpaster was in Louisville shopping for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Minihan, of Owingsville, visited relatives here the first of the week.

Mr. Robert Young, of Pineville, visited his mother, Mrs. Maggie Young, the past week.

Mr. Filmore Osborne, of Winchester, attended court in Mt. Sterling Monday.

Mr. T. Newton Duff, of Fayette county, was in the city Saturday and Monday on business.

Mr. J. M. Stevenson, of Winchester, was in the city attending Circuit Court last week.

Mrs. Clayton Howell, who was visiting relatives in Bourbon county, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Greenwade, who have been in Florida all

winter, have returned home.

Mr. Robert Catlett, of Owingsville, spent Monday in this city.

Mr. W. R. Knight, of Sharpsburg, was in the city Monday on business.

Mr. G. H. Strother and Mr. Leslie McCormick were in Sharpsburg on business Friday.

Attorneys Lewis Apperson and John A. Judy are in Middlesboro this week on legal business.

Miss Annie Thompson, of Newport, is visiting her brother, the Rev. Thompson, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Isola, who have been spending the winter in Florida, returned home last week.

Mrs. B. G. Nunnelley, of Galveston, Texas., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Apperson.

Miss Katherine Sewell, of Oldtown, Maine, who has been the guest of Mrs. Claude Paxton, has returned home.

Mr. R. H. White was in Louisville last week to attend a meeting of the State Board of Pharmacists and while there attended the Republican convention.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Killpatrick were in Mason county Saturday attending the funeral of his sister, Mr. C. N. Bolinger.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Anderson leave Wednesday for Stanford to spend over Sunday with Mr. E. P. Woods and family.

Miss Prather Harrison, who was the charming guest of Miss Emily Robinson last week, has returned to her home in Louisville.

Messrs. Harry Lockridge, S. O. Wood and W. Hoffman Wood, of this city, attended the Republican convention at Louisville last week.

Mrs. Mary C. Dikob, who has been spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. W. Q. Stephens, left for her home in Shreveport, La., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bogie have returned home from Hot Springs, where Mr. Bogie has been receiving treatment, and his many friends will be pleased to know that he has been completely cured.

The Building Committee of The Farmers' Warehouse Company, composed of the following gentlemen, R. R. Whitsett, C. C. Chenault, I. F. Tabb, F. P. Boyd and J. O. Greene, went to Lexington and Winchester Wednesday to inspect the warehouses in those cities.

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Though German Did Not Know It, He Had Identified Himself With Nefarious Gang.

Not very long ago a German organist, who went to St. Petersburg to live, had there an experience with a new cap that for a time almost made him believe in the magic of the Teutonic fairy tales.

The organist bought the cap during his first day at the Russian capital, and wore it the next day when he went out for a walk. On his return to his lodgings he was amazed to find two gold purses in his pocket, one of which contained a sum equivalent to \$50.

The next day, after his usual walk, he found four purses in his outside pocket, a find that caused him to doubt his senses. A third day, with a similar profitable result, sent him to the chief of police to tell his story.

The authorities detailed a detective to go with the German to the tailor who made the cap. Investigation disclosed the fact that it had been constructed of an odd piece of English cloth brought in by a stranger. From it the tailor had made fifteen identical caps to order. Having a bit left, he had constructed a sixteenth cap, which was the one he sold to the organist.

The detective then followed the organist through the streets of the city, when the mystery was solved. The cap, it appears, was the emblem of a gang of pickpockets working cooperatively. The one who secured a purse dropped it into the pocket of the first confederate he saw. The cap had identified the German, and he had reaped the reward.

With this eleventh it was an easy matter for the Russian authorities to catch the whole gang.—Youth's Companion.

PROVED HONESTY



"Do you put much belief in the story that the government is dishonest?"

"No; for years I've been buying postage stamps from the government and I've never been cheated yet."

DESERT WEAPONS.

There are, not counting the rifles and carbines captured from the Italians nor the regulation arms dealt out by the Turks, weapons of every kind and age in the camp, writes the Tripoli correspondent of the London Express. I have seen within a few hundred yards of one another a chassepot rifle, a double barreled shotgun, a two handed Crusader's sword (a magnificent piece of steel over four feet long), a slender, inlaid scimitar, a Moorish curved dagger and an automatic pistol.

There is no doubt that the desert is supplying Turkey with soldiers as efficient as it provided her with food for them to eat. A wonderful place, the desert, able to pour forth unexpected riches.

CHRISTIAN CHINESE WOMEN.

Miss Ruby Sia is the leading woman of the Chinese Christian Students' Association in North America, which recently held a convention at Hartford, Conn. Miss Sia is a student of the Baltimore Woman's college and editor of the Chinese Students' Monthly, the organ of the Chinese Students' alliance. She is the spokeswoman for the Chinese college women in America. Among other Chinese women who attended the alliance convention were Mrs. Samuel Wong and Miss Mabel Ching Kau, both born in the Hawaiian islands, and graduates of the Honolulu Normal school. Both have taught in Hawaii several years.

ABNORMALLY DISCREET.

"A Chicago heiress, you say?"
"Yes; and she occupies a unique position in her town."
"How is that?"
"She has never eloped with a waiter."

INSURANCE?

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THE SICK.

Mr. J. D. Hazelrigg's condition shows little change.

Mrs. Leo Games, who was operated on last week at the Good Samaritan Hospital in Lexington, is resting nicely and it is thought will soon be able to be out.

Mr. R. E. Runch, our popular clothing merchant, has been quite sick at his home in this city for the past few days, but is reported to be improving nicely.

Mr. J. Q. Stephens was able to walk down town Monday, the first time in several weeks.

Mrs. P. O. Andrews, wife of one of the Government force, who was operated on last Friday, is improving nicely under the watch care of Drs. Harness and Shirley.

Mr. L. T. Chiles, who underwent a serious operation at Louisville last week, is reported to be resting nicely.

BIRTHS.

Friday morning in Middlesboro to Mr. and Mrs. Chenault Cockrell, a handsome baby boy. He has been christened Woodson Chenault Cockrell.

RELIGIOUS

The subject of next Sunday morning's sermon at the Methodist church will be "A Modern Problem, Its Ancient Solution." All the members of this church, their friends and well-wishers are cordially invited to be present. The pastor will deal with a question that is vital in the minds of many, and would like to see you in the congregation.

Chili Party.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Y. Triplett entertained Miss Anna Moss, Mrs. Iva Wood, and Messrs. S. P. Greenwade and T. S. Nelligan to a delightful Chili Supper Thursday evening at their home on Holt ave.

YES, she'll like those new Ralston Shoes of yours. 41-11
J. H. Brunner, the Shoe Man.

Off For Honduras.

Mr. Johnson Young, of this city, who has been located at Owingsville for several months past, has disposed of his business interests there and will leave Friday for Ceiba, Spanish Honduras, to accept a position with the United Fruit Co. Mr. Young has been connected with this company once before, being located at Boas Del Toro, Panama.

He will take charge of a large banana plantation. He is an excellent young man, worthy and industrious and is sure to succeed in his new field.

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Automatic Shotgun in splendid shape. Apply at this office. 41-21

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Installing New Fountain.

Mr. H. M. Ringo has taken down his old soda fountain, is putting in some new tile floor and making other extensive improvements preparatory to installing his beautiful new fountain, which is expected to arrive the latter part of this week. When the improvements are completed and the new fountain installed Mr. Ringo will have a soft drink parlor second to none this side of Louisville.

For Rent.

Good suburban residence; also down town residence. Both have large garden and stable.

A large garden to rent on the shares.

If you want to rent or buy property, call at headquarters. T. F. Rogers & Son.

The very latest Pumps in satin, patent kid, tin, gun metal and Nubuck in Red Cross models, \$3.50 and \$4. 41-11
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NOTICE.

While Locust street is being paved, I will receive produce on Maysville street, opposite I. F. Tabb's 40-11
E. T. REIS.

Mr. TAFT'S RAVEN.

Once upon a midnight dreary, As I pondered, weak and weary, Wondering if the nomination Would be mine as 'twas before; Suddenly there came a tapping, As of some one gently rapping, Rapping on the White House door, "Tis some office-seeker," said I, "Simply that and nothing more."

Open wide I flung the shutter, When, with many a flirt and flutter, In there strode a stately raven, Black as any stevedore, Perched upon the bust of Teddy, Just above my office door; Perched and sat, and nothing more.

"Prophet," said I, "good or evil, Standpat or insurgent devil, Tell me this much, I implore: Who will get the nomination At the National Convention? Will they give me four years more?" Quoth the raven:

"Theodore."

"Prophet," shrieked I, "thing of evil, Democrat, if not the devil, Get thee hence from off my door!"

But the raven, never flitting, Still is sitting, still is sitting, On the bust of Teddy grinning, Grinning at me, on my door, And I feel my hopes are sinking, And my chances ever shrinking, While that bird is perched there, blinking,

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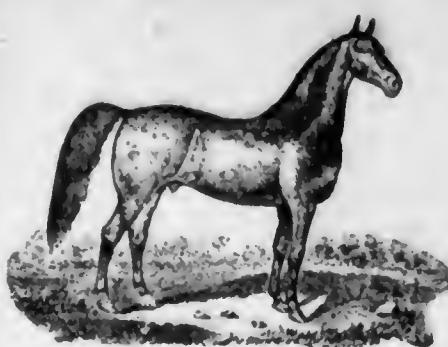
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Henry D. McAtee, of Louisville, 71 years of age, is the first applicant for a pension under the law enacted at Frankfort last winter pensioning, under restric-

tions, all Confederate veterans in Kentucky at the rate of \$10 a month.

Mr. McAtee was a member of Company E, First Kentucky Cavalry, and resides at 533 North Thirty-fifth street. The first payment under the new law is Au-

gust 5. Applications for pensions under the act must be filed in County Court and lie over a month in order that the County Judge may make an investigation as to the merits of the application.

Home killed veal at Vanarsdell's.

Electricity Thaws Frozen River Mains.

Every day electricity is called upon to accomplish some new task of giant proportions and, in nearly every case, the work is done. Only a few days ago the big water main leading from East 140th Street, New York, to North Brothers Island, was thawed out by electricity after it had been frozen for over a month. At low tide this main was partially exposed to the severe winter weather and it was quickly frozen solid, defying all attempts to thaw it out. As a result the island was soon suffering from a water famine. Water carts were pressed into service and water ferried across.

As a last resort electricity was tried and after five days steady application the main was completely thawed out. This was the first work of its kind ever attempted. Water mains under ground have been successfully thawed by electricity but a main buried under from sixty to seventy feet of water was quite a different proposition. Twenty years ago this same water main was frozen and it had to be relaid for its entire length at an enormous cost.

After all attempts to force water through the frozen main had failed the New York Edison Company was begged to try electricity. The frozen pipe rests on the bottom of the East River, and when the first few lengths near shore froze up the ice crawled along the entire length of the main. After being connected with the company's electrical mains the current was turned on and the recording instruments showing that the pipe was receiving 860 amperes at a pressure of 200 volts. This current was gradually increased to 1800 amperes before the pipe began to steam at the end on the Bronx shore. Soon the pumps were able to force a small stream of water through the main and in a few hours more the water was running a steady stream, evidencing that ice was all melted.

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First Base—Chase.

Second Base—Collins.

Third Base—Baker or Lord.

Shortstop—Wagner.

Outfield—Cobb, Schulte, and a third about whom there must be uncertainty.

Evers and Chance dropped out during the season, Lajoie slowed up a little and Schulte's value rose. Wagner sank a bit, but kept a neck ahead of Barry and Tinker. To what extent will the topliners alter between now and next October? On accepted principles Wagner and Mathewson ought to be in the most danger.

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Amundsen's Voyage.

Captain Amundsen's claim to have discovered the South Pole, seems at the present writing, to admit of but little doubt; and the attitude of the explorer is both dignified and credible in not proclaiming his triumph, but allowing the burden of proof to rest with the Geographical societies before asserting his claim.

The triumph and honor in the discovery of the South Pole could not be any way compared with that of its northern neighbors as the preliminaries that went before in Arctic exploration could but make Antarctic discoveries a comparatively simple matter. There were but few problems in Arctic traveling that had not been solved by the illustrious and intrepid men who sacrificed so much in the many vain attempts to reach the North Pole. Those who came after were naturally heirs to that knowledge, and with so fine an equipment, the problem of Antarctic exploration was not so great a one.

Every party that went forth learned something which was of value to its successor. They kept getting nearer and nearer, and attainment of the goal at last, was inevitable.

It was fitting that this last achievement and the only one of its kind left, should have been reserved for a member of that sturdy Scandinavian race which has produced as bold seafarers as any who have traversed unknown oceans. The Northmen are believed to have found the continent of America hundreds of years before Columbus landed in the West Indies. Amundsen's feat supplies the final link of a chain of daring adventure.

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x 3:47 p. m.	Louisville	x 9:37 p. m.
5:50 a. m.	Lexington	9:20 a. m.
2:15 p. m.	Lexington	7:05 p. m.
9:30 a. m.	Rutherford	2:05 p. m.
x 12:39 p. m.	New York	x 7:19 a. m.
	Washington	
x 9:37 p. m.	Norfolk	
	Richmond	x 3:47 p. m.
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West-Bound.

STATIONS	No. 1 Daily A. M.	No. 3 Daily P. M.
Lv. Quicksand		1:25
Lv. Jackson	5:05	1:50
" O. & K. Junction	5:10	1:57
" Athol	5:35	2:22
" Beattyville Junction	6:03	2:51
" Torrent	6:25	3:12
" Campion Junction	6:43	3:30
" Clay City	7:19	4:05
" L. & E. Junction	7:51	4:37
" Winchester	8:25	4:50
Ar. Lexington	8:50	5:35

East-Bound.

STATIONS	No. 2 Daily P. M.	No. 4 Daily A. M.
Lv. Lexington	1:35	7:20
Winchester	2:17	8:03
L. & E. Junction	2:35	8:18
Clay City	3:05	8:50
Campion Junction	3:47	9:27
Torrent	4:04	9:44
Beattyville Junction	4:25	10:04
Athol	4:52	10:30
O. & K. Junction	5:19	10:57
Jackson	5:25	11:05
Quicksand		11:25

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The Republican Party.

Try as it may, the Republican party cannot be progressive. It numbers in its column a rather impressive list of Governors, United States Senators, Representatives in Congress and lesser public officers of marked ability and pronounced progressiveness in all that every day usage has attached to the word "progressive." Yet all these, after conquering Cannon and Aldrich and disrupting their congressional machine, are over-powered and swept aside when the collective Republican organizations of the various States in the Union are set in motion. What there is of progressiveness in the Republican party is overshadowed and submerged in what there is of unprogressiveness in the same party, and that may be accounted the reason why we find no "Progressive" candidate seriously in the field for the Republican presidential nomination. President Taft is a stand-patter. Theodore Roosevelt is not a Progressive. If anything, he is a Radical.

It is true that Senator Robert M. La Follette is in the field, but his canvass has been so utterly unsuccessful as to be both discouraging and injurious to the cause he represents.

Various Republican papers have suggested that both President Taft and Theodore Roosevelt could serve their party best by withdrawing from the contest. It is proposed that they get together behind a candidate who would be acceptable to all factions. Associate Justice Charles E. Hughes is very generally picked as the man best fitted to meet these requirements, while Senator Cummins is also mentioned. Politicians do not anticipate, however, any such turn of affairs and are taking their places behind one or the other of the two pronounced leaders—Roosevelt and Taft.

COUNTY COURT DAYS.

Following is a list of days County Courts are held in counties near Mt. Sterling.

Bath, Owingsville, 2d Monday.
Bourbon Paris, 1st Monday.
Clark, Winchester, 4th Monday.
Fayette, Lexington, 2d Monday.
Fleming, Flemingsburg — 4th Monday.

Harrison, Cynthiana — 4th Monday.
Madison, Richmond, 1st Monday.
Montgomery, Mt. Sterling, 3rd Monday.

Nicholas, Carlisle, 2nd Monday.

A Virginia Device.

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North Middletown, Ky.

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Correspondence

PLUM LICK.

(By James Kendall.)

Claude McClain lost by death another colt.

J. H. Morton has moved to Breckinridge county.

John Welch and family will leave this week for Montana.

James Douglas sold a stack of hay to James Kendall and J. W. Reid at \$25 per ton.

Joe Foley writes back that he didn't much like Montana and is about to settle down in Missouri.

W. M. Kendall, of Nicholas county, who recently organized a Farmers' Union here, will speak in behalf of the farmers' interests generally at this place Saturday night. As everybody is invited and the doors open to all, a large crowd is expected to be present.

STOOPS.

(By B. M. Goodan.)

Early sown oats are up and looking fine.

All cattle men have turned out on grass, the earliest for many years.

Sheep shearing is in progress. The fleece is of excellent quality.

Much corn ground is being prepared and a considerable acreage will be planted this week.

Squire John C. Trimble is able to be out again after a severe attack of pleurisy.

Dwight Smathers has returned home from the Cincinnati Veterinary College.

Bruce W. Cravens, of Columbus, O., is visiting his parents near Judy.

Arthur, youngest son of Claude Foley, is slowly recovering from an attack of spinal meningitis.

Earl Smathers, of Springfield, attended the meeting of West Lexington Presbytery at Jackson last week.

Miss Edna Hamilton visited the Misses Swetnam at Winchester last week.

Rev. I. C. Hunt preached an excellent sermon at Springfield Sunday morning, his subject being "Faith, the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things

not seen."

Saturday morning Sam Piersall killed a dog showing symptoms of rabies.

District Deputy Consul J. W. Womack, of Lexington, visited Judy Camp M. W. A. Wednesday night and delivered a stirring address.

Rev. W. A. Hopkins will accept the call extended by the Owingsville and Springfield churches and will begin the charge Sunday morning, May 19th.

This section was visited by a storm Monday afternoon that came very near being a cyclone.

GRASSY LICK.

(By Miss Elizabeth Carr.)

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Greene entertained last Wednesday night with an elegant supper in honor of Mr. Roy Greene and wife.

T. J. Carr and wife spent last Saturday with their daughter at Howard's Mill.

Miss Lida Hall, who has been visiting friends and relatives here, returned to her home in Sharpsburg Monday.

Gano Caywood visited his father at Middletown Sunday.

Mrs. T. J. Carr purchased a horse from Sam Estill at Owingsville, for \$90.

B. B. Cash, of Omer, Ky., visited the family of John McGuire Monday night.

Notice.
All persons having claims against the estate of Mrs. Ella R. Priest, deceased, are hereby notified to file same, proven as required by law, with the undersigned or my attorney, R. G. Kern.

B. F. Mark, Adm'r
Ella R. Priest.

Spring styles in Stacey, Adams & Co. and Walk-Over Shoes and Oxfords. Punch & Graves.

Buckwheat flour and pure maple syrup at Vanarsdell's.

Marry at Clerk's Office.

On Thursday at the County Clerk's office, Mr. Richard McIlvain, of Clark county, and Miss Alice Wilson, of this county, were united in wedlock.

For Sale Cheap—Splendid make Soda Fountain, in good repair.

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H. M. Ringo.

Public Sale of Houses.

The Farmers' Tobacco Warehouse Company will sell to the highest and best bidder on Saturday, April 20, 1912, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the property bought of H. Clay McKee on West Locust street, FOUR HOUSES. The same are to be removed from the lots before May 10, 1912.

For further information see either of the undersigned,

R. R. Whitsett,
C. C. Chenault,
I. F. Tabb,
F. P. Boyd,
J. O. Greene,
Committee.

Wm. Cravens, Auctioneer.

Spring styles in Extra Good Suits for boys. Punch & Graves

Kentucky Press Association to be Held at Olympia.

The annual midsummer meeting of the Kentucky Press Association will be held at Olympian Springs, June 10-15. The decision to meet at Olympian Springs was reached at a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Kentucky Press Association recently held at The Seelbach. Crab Orchard Springs bid for the meeting and a tie vote resulted. Gen. W. B. Haldeman, who acted as chairman, then cast the deciding vote, which eliminated Crab Orchard. A vote was then taken on a motion to meet at Olympian Springs, which was unanimously chosen.

Eggs for Sale.

Buff Plymouth Rock, \$1 for setting of 15. Mrs. W. H. Canan, R. R. No. 2, Mt. Sterling, Ky. Phone 559-B. 40-4t

Spring styles in Stacey, Adams & Co. and Walk-Over Shoes and Oxfords. Punch & Graves.

Wed in Lexington.

Last Wednesday at the Phoenix Hotel in Lexington Miss Alph V. Clark, of this county, and Mr. Clarence Ralls, of Bourbon county, were united in marriage. Miss Clark is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Clark, and is an accomplished and popular woman. Mr. Ralls is a prominent and prosperous farmer.

Fresh oysters received every day at Vanarsdell's.

Notice.

All persons having claims against the estate of Antonio Pieri will present same to the undersigned at once, proven as required by law.

All parties knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to call and settle. 40-4t

R. E. PUNCH,
Adm'r. Antonio Pieri.

Piano Recital.

Some of the members of the classes of Misses Lida Goodpaster and Nell Pangburn will give a piano recital at 35 Clay street next Saturday afternoon, April 20, at 2:30 o'clock. Friends and patrons are cordially invited.

Big Increase in Taxation.

The State Board has increased the franchise valuation of all the railroads in the State from \$40,556,973 to \$167,985,000, an increase of \$137,428,207 over last year's assessments. The increase would cost the corporations over \$700,000 additional tax and would wipe out the present State debt.

Eggs for Hatching.

Pure Rhode Island Reds, 75c per setting.

Mrs. Joe Trimble, 39-4t.

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Valuable Knowledge.

It is reported that the Burley Tobacco Society has bought the Strater Bros. tobacco plant located in Louisville, at a price said to be in excess of \$500,000. The plant affords employment to 825 people and makes a specialty of "On the Square" tobacco, the rights to which, it is understood, have also been sold.

"Sure and I'd give a thousand dollars, Moike, if I knew th' pla-ace where I was goin' t' die."

"Faith, Pat, and phwat good would thot do yez?"

"Begorra, I'd niver go near th' place at all, at all," says Pat.

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